

ACCUSATIONS/ STATEMENTS OF ISSUES

October 1, 2001 to December 31, 2001

Accusation, October 17, 2001, EMSA Case No. 01-182

Respondent stole narcotics from an ambulance and admitted using those narcotics for his personal use. Respondent admitted to a history of drug abuse.

Licensure action being taken pursuant to California Health and Safety Code Sections 1798.200(c)(5)- Fraudulent, Dishonest, or Corrupt Act; 1798.200(c)(8)- Violating or Attempting to Violate Laws Regulating Narcotics, Dangerous Drugs, or Controlled Substances; and 1798.200(c)(9)- Addiction to or Misuse of Alcohol, Narcotics, Dangerous Drugs, or Controlled Substances.

Accusation, October 22, 2001, EMSA Case No. 99-072

Respondent was convicted of misdemeanor assault, vandalism, exhibiting a firearm, and felony discharging a firearm (later reduced to a misdemeanor) in March of 2000.

Licensure action being taken pursuant to California Health and Safety Code Sections 1798.200(c)(5)- Fraudulent, Dishonest, or Corrupt Act; and 1798.200(c)(6)- Conviction of a Crime.

Accusation, November 20, 2001, EMSA Case No. 00-181

Respondent possessed and used amphetamine and/or methamphetamine for which he did not have a valid prescription.

Licensure action being taken pursuant to California Health and Safety Code Sections 1798.200(c)(5)- Fraudulent, Dishonest, or Corrupt Act; 1798.200(c)(8)- Violating or Attempting to Violate Laws Regulating Narcotics, Dangerous Drugs, or Controlled Substances; and 1798.200(c)(9)- Addiction to or Misuse of Alcohol, Narcotics, Dangerous Drugs, or Controlled Substances.

Accusation, December 19, 2001, EMSA Case No. 00-074

Respondent was convicted in 1988, 1993, and 1999 for "driving while under the influence (DUI)," and he was convicted of battery in 2000.

Licensure action being taken pursuant to California Health and Safety Code Sections 1798.200(c)(5)- Fraudulent, Dishonest, or Corrupt Act; 1798.200(c)(6)- Conviction of a Crime; and 1798.200(c)(9)- Addiction to or Misuse of Alcohol, Narcotics, Dangerous Drugs, or Controlled Substances.

Accusation, December 27, 2001, EMSA Case No. 00-045

Respondent was convicted of "sexual battery by restraint," a felony, in March of 2001.

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An Accusation is a charging document that alleges violation(s) of Division 2.5 of the Health & Safety Code. The Respondent must admit the allegation(s) by way of a settlement, choose not to contest the allegation(s), or the EMS Authority must prove the allegation(s) at a contested hearing before the alleged acts are deemed to have occurred.

A Statement of Issues is an appeal by an individual who was denied a paramedic license by the EMS Authority, and is handled similar to an Accusation.

The Accusation and Statement of Issues are public documents and are available for a minimal cost by calling the EMS Authority's Enforcement Unit at telephone number (916) 322-4336.